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In re application of:	) August 4, 2004 )	RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER
Daniel J. Pugh	)	AUG 0 4 2004
Serial No.: 09/698,698	) Group Art Unit: 2634	OFFICIAL
Filed: October 27, 2000	) Examiner: Tse, Young Toi	OFFICIAL

For: METHOD AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A TRACEBACK-FREE PARALLEL VITERBI DECODER

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-Identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a three (3) month extension of time, extending the period for response to September 1, 2004, from the Office Action dated March 1, 2004. The petition filing fee of \$950.00 is attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application 08/20/2004 LMAFFOM 600F02006 Account No. 50-0221. A copy of 01 FC:1202 02 FC:1253 the Eco. Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Respectfully submitted,

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